

I currently subscribe to XM Radio. XM offers services I cannot get elsewhere. I am tired of local radio stations offering nothing for me as a listener. It is either rap, hard rock, or other garbage I would rather not listen to, or I have to listen to ill-informed reactionary talk show hosts who babble about politics and never solve any problems.

I like the variety of XM, the traffic and weather reports which are broadcast often enough they are not old news, as the local radio stations offer little or no information.

Finally, I pay for this service, and no governing body needs to tell me what I can and cannot listen to, paid for or not.

Please reject NAB's petition 04-160. It is wrong, violates my rights, and is only a reaction to the influence of special interests.